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Cuba's Insurrection Increasing in Importance Every Day.

INSURGENTS HOLD THE INTERIOR | manded by General Rego. Cepero was on

And Have Succeeded in Cutting Down the Revenue of the Spanish Government from Cuban Sources About Eighty Per Cent. General Campos' Many Pailures.

HAVANA, Jan. 15.-Exciting news from the front was received yesterday in a shape which prevented its accuracy from being denied. The sound of continued artillery firing was heard south of Rincon, not fafrom Bejucal, the town that was attacked by the insurgents on Monday with the resuit that, according to the official statement of the affair, they were forced to retreat after a fierce resistance on the part of the government forces, the battle lasting, it is claimed, five hours But it is admitted that the in-u-gents plundered stores in the outlying district of Bejucal. burned a number of houses and destroyed the railroad depot by fire.

Previous to this they had burned the town of Salud, quite a good sized place, and partly destroyed Quivican, a smaller place. They varied these operations with burning freight trains and destroying railroad engines as they pushed nurthward and towards Havana.

This fores of insurgents is the one supposed to be commanded by Gomez in person, although it has been insisted that he is still in the province of Pinar del Rio. and that he was in conflict with Spanish troops commanded by General Lin ires. It is believed that an important engagement is taking place, and further confirmation 🕶 317 expected.

Cona nation has been received of the report from the eastern provinces that the insurgent leaders Rabi, Jose Macco, Chongo Rivero and others, at the head of strong forces from the province of Puerto Principe, believed to be much better armed than any previous forces, and to have been reinforced by fillbustering expelitions. containing numbers of Americans, are moving eastward, apparently with the intention of reinforcing the insurgents now operating in the neighborhood of Havana. Those insurgent forces are said to have moved into the Remelio district

The presence of this additional force of insurgents, moving through the province of Santa Clara and in the direction of the province of Matanzas, will naturally prevent the Spanish commanders from sending into the Havana district all the troops they intended to draw from Santa Clara and Matanzas with the intention of driving the insurgents now in this vicinity into the province of Pinar del Rio westward until they were all placed in a position where they could be either externinated or forced to surrender.

The captain general has been forced to meet this move by sinding back towards Bante cara several columns of troops which were on their way through the round of Matanza-toreinforce his forces in this vicinity. The insurgents, it is believed, will thus be able to continue for some time longer their almost unchecked operations, and if the Spanish generals are not able to prevent a junction of all the insurgent forces now in this vicinity the situation will become more critical.

Estimating that the insurgents now have about 15,000 men, more or less well armed, in this vicinity, and that they are reinforced by say 10,000 more well armed men from the eastward, Gomez will, friends of his cause say, have un for his command quite a fair sized army, and should be able, all things fairly favorable, to take the offensive even against a strong force of Spanish troops defending Havana. But these are views taken by the friends of the insurgents, and are directly at variance with those of the Spanish officials, who claim that the second Cuban army, advancing from the east under Rabi and Jose Macco, does not number and will never number 5,000 men.

In any case it does not seem possible to deny that the insurrection is increasing in importance every day. Practically the whole interior of the island, from east to west, with the exception of the large towns, is in possession of the insurgents, who have burned everything combustible and have levied tribute right and left, under the very noses of the Spanish commanders, and cutting down the revenue of the Spanish government from Cuban sources about 8) per cont., according to the insurgents' estimates. Under these conditions it is not astonishing that some change in the commandership of the Spanish forces is expected daily. Even the most intimate friends of General Campos de not claim that he has been half successful in his operations.

The insurgent cavalry is vastly superior both in number and quality, to that of the Spaniards, and the military experts assert that the importation of 3,000 or 4,000 Spanish cavalry from Spain will in no way affect the situation, as the Spanish horses cannot stand the climate. The weak point of the Cuban army is its artillery, but they nope shortly to be able to make a very much better showing in that

THE FIGURE FOR FREEDOM respect, as they expect supplies of rapid fire guns. Indeed friends of the insurgents here assert that quite a number of rapid fire guns recently came into the possession of General Gomez, and they were

landed not very far from Havana at that. It is announced that on Sunday last the Spaniards made an important capture in the person of Jose Cepero, the second in command of the Cuban column comhis way from Cienfuegos, in the province of Sunta Clara, to Batabano, the port south of Havana, with important communications from the Santa Clara insurgents to Gomez and Maceo. The insurgent leader was traveling on the Spanish steamship Gloria under the name of Lorenzo Dupuy, and had papers upon him in that name to show that he was an American citizen traveling in Cuba on business.

Where Will the Gold Come From?

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The Times says in its financial article this morning that it doubts whether the popular loan will permanently -trangthen the American treasury. A hipertent deposit, it says, will add \$29,000,000 to the stock of gold, but it is not easy to say whence the remaining \$-0160 0 plare to come from, unless later in the year Europe again becomes the bayer of Am -read securities.

General Harrison's Coming Marriage. NEW YOLK, Jan. 15 .- Today's World says: "The statement was given out last night by a close friend of General Harrison that it is true that the ex-president is to marry Mrs. Dimmiek, but that the marriage will not take place before lent. and that a formal announcement of theen gagement will be made before that time."

The Contest for the Democratic Convention. WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.-The struggle between New York, Chicago, St. Louis and | the retention of the bone fide settled dis-Cincinnati, the cities contending for the honor of holding the next national Democratic convention, has begun in earnest. and from now until the members of the national committee decide upon their preference there will be no cessation of the hard work, which commenced practically yesterday. It is asserted by Hugh C. Wallace, a member of the national committee from Washington state, that all western delegates will vote for Chicago or St. Louis.

Alleged Embezzlers Indicted.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 15. - It became known yesterday that the grand jury last week found indictments against Matt Adams, ex-clerk of, the district court, for the alleged embezzlement of \$39,200, and against W. R. Perry, on the charge of embezzling \$1,700 of county money. Mr. Perry was arrested yesterday and gave bonds. It is said Adams is in South Amer ica, and steps will at once be taken to have him brought back. The indictment only covers part of the alleged shortage.

Chicago Can Have Sunday Baseball.

CHICAGO, Jan. 15 .- The jury in the case of Walter Wilmot vs. the city of Chicago handed in a verdict of not guilty yesterday. This is the famous Sunday baseball case, the entire Chicago baseball club having been arrested last summer for playing baseball on Sunday, and the entire club was practically on trial, although the defendant technically was Walter Wilmot. This probably insures Sunday ball for Chicago this summer.

Fell Through a Bridge.

KITTANING, Pa., Jan. 15 .- Two sections of a freight train on the Allegheny railroad came together on a bridge over Mahoning creek, and the span of the bridge giving way the engine, caboose and three oil tanks were precipitated into the water. An explosion of the tank cars followed, and the wrecked cars were burned. Patrick and John Grey, who had gone to the bridge to see the wreck, were covered with blazing oil and severely burned.

Carelessness Causes a Big Fire.

BUFFALO, Jan. 15 .- The large warehou of S. S. Jewett & Co., stove manufacti ers, at the corner of Mississippi and Perstreets, was totally destroyed by fire la night. The loss is about \$250,000, fully covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known, but is is supposed to have been from a lighted match carelessly thrown by some workman into a pile of combustible material in the building.

Three Men Probably Drowned.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 15,-Nothing has vet been heard of the three men who floated out into the lake Monday evening on an ice floe. Neither has it been learned who the men were. Life savers patrolled the beach for many miles yesterday, but failed to find the slightest trace. A heavy sea prevailed, and it is believed the men were vashed off the ice and drowned.

Cherokee Bill Sentenced to Death.

FORT SMITH, Ack., Jan. 15, - Judge Parker yesterday se tenced "Cherokee Bill" to be hanged on Tue-day, March 17. Cherokee was once before sentanced to death, but his case was appealed to the supreme court of the United States, where the judgment of the lower court was af

GREENWAY'S VICTORY.

Manitoba's Premier Sure of Success in His Appeal to the People.

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 15.—There is no doubt in the minds of the Greenway government but that they will sweep the tountry in the general elections for Manitoba today. The sole issue is the national schools policy, and nearly all the seats are conceded to the government, except the French constituencies and in one or two divisions where local affairs have overshadowed the schools cry.

Special dispatches from all constituencies where contests take place point to the certain return of Greenway candidates in sixteen constituencies, while the remaining fourteen will be divided between straight oppositionists, independents and French members. The opposition leaders concede defeat, but are hopeful of winning enough seats to fight Greenway more vigorously when the schools question comes up in the new legislature. Government supporters are confident of the result. The recent split at Ottawa over the attempt to coerce Manitoba has greatly strengthened their position.

THREE NEW SENATORS.

Foraker from Ohio and Cannon and Brown from Utah.

SALT LAKE, Jan. 15 .- The Republican legislative conference met last night be hind closed doors and discussed the sen atorial question. The formal notice of George Q. Cannon that he would not accept the senatorship has simplified matters very much, and the caucus nominated Frank J. Cannon and Arthur Brown as Utah's first representatives in the United States senare.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 15 .- Both houses of the Ohio legislature met in joint session today to elect a United States senator to succeed Calvin S. Brice, whose form expires March 3, 1807. Hon. Joseph Benson Foraker received the unanimous support of the Republicans, and was chosen on the first ballot, the vote resulting: Foraker, 116; Brice. 85; Groot (Popullst). 1.

A Poverty Stricken Mother's Awful Crime. St. Jeseph, Mo., Jan. 15.-A terrible tragedy is reported here as having occurred at Mary-wille, Kan. On a farm six miles south of Mary-wille lived Joseph Hilder-brandt, his wife and family of eight children, the latter ranging from 2 to 14 years of age. Hilderbrandt is in Kansas City. being treated in a hospital. Yesterday his wife, becoming despondent, administered poison to the children and seven have died. The other is not expected to live. Then she completed the work of destruction by hanging herself to a rafter. The tragedy was caused by poverty.

England's Venezuelan Claim. London, Jan. 15 .- An editorial in The Times this morning repeats that the only point in the Venezuela controversy upon which England can concede nothing is rejets under the British sovereignty, "If this can be secured," says The Time-"there is no reason to insist upon the Schomburgk line. The vague talk about a permanent tribunal of arbitration can only tend to obstruct or obscure the more practical efforts to solve the difficulty.'

The Referee Not Yet Selected.

Et. Paso, Tex., Jan. 15.—Yesterday was the day fixed upon for selecting a referce for the Fitzsimmons-Maher fight, but as Martin Julian was absent the matter was postponed. Julian is now on his way from New York. In reply to a question as to who will probably be the referee Mr. Stuart said today that Sam Austin, Lon Hauses man and Bat Masterson were, he thought, the leading favorites. Dixon and Walcott arrived here yesterday to secure training quarters.

Queen Liliuokalani's Pardon.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 15.-Advices from Honolulu are to the effect that preparations are under way for the third celebration of the anniversary of the revolution which overturned the monarchy. It will take place on Jan. 17, and the prediction is made that the parole of ex-Queen Lillinokalani will on that day be at an end. and that she will be granted a full pardon. President Dole is authority for the state-

To Remove Ex-Confederates' Disabilities WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.-The house com mittee on military affairs yesterday unanimously reported favorably the bill, which recently passed the senate, repealing the law that prohibits ex-Confederates who held commissions in the United States army and navy at the beginning of the rebellion from being appointed to any position in the army or navy.

Held Up in a Raitroad Station. FALLS CITY, Neb., Jan. 15 -Masked rob bers entered the local Missouri Pacific depot here, and with drawn revolvers held up four passengers and the agent. The valuables of all were taken. The agent was ordered to open the safe. He jumped through the window and escaped, being fired at repeatedly. A posse failed to capture the highwaymen.

Schools of Perry, O. T., Ordered Closed. PERRY, O. T., Jan. 15 .- The city superintendent of public schools, as a last resort to prevent mixed schools in Perry, ordered every school closed yesterday until some compromise could be made so that all parties would be satisfied. Officers seated several colored children in the high school yesterday under protest from teachers and superintendent.

Addicks Must Pay the Costs. WILMINGTON, Del, Jan. 15. - In the matter of the costs in the Addicks divorce case the superior court yesterday afternoon made an order that they be paid by the respondent, J. Edward Addicks. The amount of costs now due is \$7,250, and this

within sixty days. Matricide and Suicide.

amount Mr. Addicks is ordered to pay

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Jan. 15,-William Oswell, of Ogdensburg, N. Y., shot and killed his mother and then ended his own life in that city yesterday. He has been out of work for some time past, and this is supposed to have prompted him to commit the double rime.

THE TURKS OBJECTION

To the Red Cross Distributing Aid to Armenian Sufferers.

A QUESTION OF NATIONAL PRIDE.

The Turkish Minister at Washington Discusses His Country's Attitude-But Relief Is Already Being Distributed Through European Consuls to the Victims.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—In an interview yesterday the Turkish minister said: "You ask me what I have to say about the following statement: The Red Cross society has decided not to pay any attention to the communication until it is offically transmitted to it by the Turkish government or the Turkish minister.' My answer is very simple, and it is the follow-

"The Red Cross has never communicated with this legation. It has only communicated, to my knowledge, with the press and the public, its president. Miss Clara Barton, assisting, without protest, at public meeting where the most gross and unjust abuse was made of the Turkish government, religion and race. As the Red Cross, nor any of its representatives. never visited this legation, it is clear and logical that this legation has nothing to communicate to said society. This legation sent its communication to the press because it is the public that the Red Cross took in its confidence. But, naturally, I always will be ready and pleased to give to the Red Cross society any explanation

it may think it proper to ask for.
"This whole question," added the minister, "is a question of right. Suppose for one moment that your own Indians were to revolt against your legitimate authoraty. Suppose that you put down their revolt, and suppose that in some foreign country some foreigners were to calumniate publicly your civilization, your race and your religion. Not satisfied with that, suppose that those foreigners, on the strength of such false accusations, were to raise money and bring it for distribution, through their own channels, however respectable the latter may be, to the same people that revolted against your government. Would that money raised on hatred and denunciation, would even a moral aid from foreigners, be welcome to this country of yours, however wel-come it might be, for obvious reasons, to your Indians?

"Even today, notwithstanding the contrary assurances of interested parties, the Turkish government has no animosity whatever against the Armenians, and only wishes to see them prosper under its legitimate and rightful authority.

CONTRIBUTIONS GOING FORWARD. The Work of Supplying Relief to Armenians Already Progressing.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.-The following official statement has been issued from the headquarters of the national Armenian relief committee:

"The intention of the Turkish government to refuse the American Red Cross society permission to enter Turkey will not cause the national Armenian relief committee and its branches throughout the country to relax their efforts for an instant in raising funds to save the 350,000 Armenians who are perishing from stary ation and exposure.

"The national committee is the authorized agency throughout the country for raising funds and supplies to be distributed by the Red Cross, provided it enters the field, but in case the Red Cross is excluded the national committee has authority to exercise existing agencies on the ground or organize new ones, so that all contributors may be assured that their gifts will as speedily as possible reach, the sufferers for whom they are intended.

"Many are not aware of the fact that relief work to the extent of not less than \$100,000 has already been successfully carried out in Turkey during the past three months, under the direction of a strong and representative committee of foreign residents and diplomats in Constantinople. through European consuls and the Americans who are found to be in all the prinpal cities of the interior.

A letter just received from Constantinople dated Dec 27 states that sixty bales to Sesarra, and that it is now possible to seizure and forfeiture of the mare, forward large amounts of money safely to those engaged in this work in the dovastated regions. The Red Cross could greatly enlarge this work.

"It seems incredible that while the Turkish government is permitting such relief work it should exclude the Red Cross, which, as is well known, will not step over a suffering Turk or Kurd to help an Armenian."

Says Miss Barton Will Go to Turkey. CHICAGO, Jan. 15.-Mrs. C. E. Gross, a member of the Red Cross society, said when informed of the announcement by the Turkish legation that the imperial government would not permit any distribution among its subjects by any foreign society of money collected abroad: "The Turkish government has a treaty with the Red Cross society which will give Miss Barton free entrance to Armenia and protection while she is at work there. This was the reason the missionaries asked to have her sent there. They all knew the government would not dare molest her, or interfere with the work of the Red Cross. Miss Barton will positively leave on the day which has been set and announced.

Disastrous Mino Fire in Silesia. Marhrisohostrau, Silesia, Jan. 15 -- 2

disastrous fire has occurred in the Herminigildo coal mine, with much loss of life. Fifteen bodies have already been recovered, and seventeen injured miners have been taken out.

Dying from Hydrophobia.

READING, Pa., Jan 15. - Frederick Drexel, aged 10 is dying at his home in Cumru township from hydrophobia. He barks and marks like a dog, and abhors the sight of water.

IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

Both Houses Engaged in Discussing Pension Legislation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 .- The bond silver bill was further considered in the senate yesterday, but without appreciable approach to a conclusion of the debate. Mr. Butler, of North Carolina, spoke for two hours in opposition of bond issues and in favor of silver legislation. The early hours of the session brought out an extended controversy over pension discriminations. Mr. Lodge sought to pass the bill granting a pension of \$75 per month to the widow of General Cogswell, but Mr. Allen led a vigorous opposition, claiming that the widows of generals were being unduly preferred over the widows of the private soldiers. The bill was finally passed. Mr. Mills offered a resolution against issuing bonds, favoring the speedy extinction of the national debt, and for the coinage of the silver bullion in the treasury.

The house spent the day in further debate on the pension appropriation bill. The speakers with a single exception were all Republicans, and all favored a liberal administration of the pension laws and the adoption of the changes to existing law proposed by the bill. Among the speakers was General John A. Walker, who served in the Confederate army. He is the only Republican representative from Virginia. Mr. Cummings, of New York, created a mild sensation by a severe arraignment of the pension office for hostility to the old

Off for Europe.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—C. Oliver Iselin and wife, Henry Norman, the Washington correspondent and special commissioner of the London Chronicle; Count L. Szecheni, of the Austrian legation, and Oliver A. Fry. editor of Vanity Fair, sailed today on the Majestie, and had as fellow passengers the young son of the Earl of Aberdeen, governor general of Canada, the Hon. Dudley Gordon, accompanied by Captain B. C. Urquhart, of the Royal artillery. The following sailed on the Paris: Count and Countess D'ivry, Algernon Sartoris, Kenyon W. Mason, Richard Harding Davis, Bishop Spaulding of Illi-nois, and with him Miss M. G. Caldwell and Miss M. A. Bergen.

Fearful Child Murder in Kansas.

TOPERA, Jan. 15 .- A horrible occurrence became known to the police yesterday when the death of the 14-months'-old son of Charles Dean was reported. Mrs. Dean left her two small children alone in a room while she ran over to a neighbor's. Upon her return she found that some one had removed the clothing from her babe, scated it upon the top of a hot stove and fled. The flesh of the child was cooked to the bone. A young man who had quarreled with Mr. Dean is suspected, but he has fled the city. The child suffered terribly until death came to relieve it.

State Officials Come to Blows.

NASHVILLE, Jan. 15.-Representative T. H. Baker, of Carroll county, and Commissioner of Agriculture Allison had two personal encounters in the capitol yesterday, but no damage other than black eyes resulted Baker charged that Allison had furnished transportation to farmers to attend the farmers' conventions and the Atlanta exposition, and wanted to know by what authority he was thus using the state's funds. The commissioner promptly branded the statement as false, and demanded the name of the author. Baker refusing, the encounters followed.

Senator Davis' Presidential Boom.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 15 .- The Commercial Gazette prints an article by Senator Hansbrough, of North Dakota, setting forth the claims of Senator Davis, of Minnesota, for the Republican nomination for president. His speech on Cleveland's Hawaiian policy is mentioned as an example of his frank fearlessness. On the Monroe doctrine he is pronounced thoroughly American and his services for debilitated and disabled survivors of the war are brought into prominence.

Kneebs Sentenced to Prisen.

BERLIN, Jan. 15 .- The trial of Robert T. Kneebs, the American trotting horse owner charged with having entered and started on German tracks the mare Bethel under the name of Nellie Kneebs, ended yesterday. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty, and the court sentenced Kneebs to nine months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of 1,000 marks, and also ordered the

Cleveland Is Not a Candidate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.-Word has been received by the leaders at the headquarters of the cities contending for the Democratic national convention that Geover Cleveland is not to be a candidate for a third term. This information was obtained by those who found themselves embarrassed in making arguments as to the respective advantages of the west and east for convention purposes.

A Wholesale Murderer's Identity, CHICAGO, Jan. 15 .- The name of the man who on Monday morning asphyxiated his wife, five children and himself is not Peter Hougaard, but Jans Hensen. The murderer was a fugitive from justice, having swindled his creditors out of \$10. 000 and fled from Denmark to America. Upon his arrival in this country he assumed the name of Peter Hougaard.

LONDON, Jan. 15, -The admiralty has invited the principal private firms to tender bids for ten third class cruisers, to be completed in one year, the armament to be wholly of quick firing guns. It has also requested all firms having government

contracts to give them the preference over

England Wants More Gunboats.

private orders. Captain Allen's Big Defalcations. BEVERLY, Mass., Jan. 15 .- The defalcation of Captain John Allen has created a

greater than first thought, and as figured at present will probably foot up over \$200, 000. In addition to the \$100,000 appropriated from the Roberts estate evidence is shown of his peculation from two other estates entrusted to him.

perfect whirl of excitement in Manchester.

The amount involved is said to be even

IN THE TRANSVAAL

The Volksraad Meets, but Adjourns Until Next May.

MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT KRUGER

He Is Firmly Resolved to Maintain the Right- of the Republic and Establish It On a Firmer Foundation-The Transfer of Jameson and His Invaders.

PRETORIA, Transvaal, Jan. 15 .- The volksraad met yesterday and authorized the government to increase the state artillery force by 400 men. They also adopted a government resolution thanking the Orange Free State for its sisterly assistance and also Sir Hercules Robinson, governor of Cape Colony, and Sir Jacobus De Wet, British agent at Protocia, for the powerful support they had given to the Transvani government and for their efforts to pre-

vent bloodshed. A message was read to the volksraad from President Kruger to the effect that he intends to discuss with the volksraad in later and calmer moments the causes which led to the dastardly plot against the state and government. He was firmly resolved, the message said, to maintain the sacred rights and interests of the republic, and to establish the same on a

firmer and securer foundation. The brief sitting of the volksraad then adjourned till May. Owing to the excited feeling among the burghers, calm and dispassionate legislation in connection with the recent events was considered im-

Dr. Jameson and the officers of his raiding expedition and political prisoners, numbering sixty, are still in the jail here, and are well cared for pending the final decision between Sir Hercules Robinson and the Transvaal government as to their

In Johannesburg yesterday a thousand armed and mounted burghers traversed the streets of the city, causing great excitement, and 1.200 others are outside the city and will ride through town today in order to exhibit their fighting strength to the miners and to gratify the men.

Germany Must be Watchful.

BERLIN, Jan. 15 .- The smoke of the first encounter has been dissipated, but Great Britain cannot afford to close its eyes to any symptoms of fresh German movements. The watch on Delagon bay must stand as fast as the German watch on the Rhine. The attempts of The North German Gazette and other papers to veer to the Venezuela side may gain for Germany Venezuela's alliance in African questions. It will secure her nothing further.

Belgium Asks British Protection.

LONDON, Jan. 15 .- The Belgian government, in addition to the United States government, has asked Great Britain to watch the interests of its subjects in the Transvaal. In consequence of these representations Secretary Chamberlain has telegraphed to the governor of Cape Colony, Sir Hercules Robinson, expressing apprehension that the numerous arrests made will disorganize the Rand industries.

To Transfer the Transvaal Prisoners. London, Jan. 15 - Governor Sir Hercules Robinson has telegraphed to the colonial office that he has completed arrangements for the transfer of the prisoners now held by the Transvaul government at the Natak

Death of a Maryland Judge.

ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 15.-Judge Robinson. of the Maryland court of appeals, died yesterday afternoon of heart disease while, at the home of his daughter. Mrs. Fullem, of this city. Judge Robinson had been III but three days, and his ailment was not thought to be serious. His successor will be appointed by Covernor Lowndes, who will also designate the chief judge, who in this case will doubtless be the same person appointed as judge, the other members of the court being Democrats. Judge Robins son was born in Caroline county, Md., Dec. 6, 1827, and graduated from Dickinson college, Pa., in 1547. Two years later he was admitted to the bar. He has held the offices of state's attorney for Queen Anne's county and judge of the Third judicial district, and was elected a justice of the court of appeals in 1867 and re-elected

Lawyers Fight in Court.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 15.-Ex-Congressman Henry Stockbridge and Thomas Mackall. both prominent members of the bar, became involved in an altercation in Judge Phelps' court yesterday, during which the lie was passed. The men clinched and some of the bystanders say blows were struck before they were separated. Judge Phelps ordered them out of the court room, and will probably punish them for contempt. In the same court three jurors in a civil case came in late, and it developed that they had been, out to luncheon with one of the parties to the suit. They were dismissed from the jury box and fined \$5 cach.

Schooner Sunk and Nine Drowned.

Boston, Jan. 15 .- The fishing schooner Fortuna, Captain Greenlaw, from Boston for George's Banks, was in collision Mon day night with the British steamer Barnstable off Highland Light. The schooner was cut almost in two and sank within three minutes. Fourteen of her craw were saved by the steamer, but nine went down with the steamer. Those drowned belonged in Gloneester, where they leave families. The drowned are: William Ackman, Robert Childs, Harry McKee, Thomas Stewart, Alfred Noonan, Harry Emerson. Simon Budreau, John Clark and William Goodwin.

Trumbull Not a Presidential Candidate. CHICAGO, Jan. 15.-Ex-Judge Lyman Trumbull says that he has no idea of being the Populist candidate for president, although recent dispatches have indicated that his nam was being used in that connection. "I am entirely out of politics," he said to a reporter, "and I will not accept any nomination."

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Oldest Living Ex-Senators-Oldest Railroad Builder-Railroad Tie Inventor. Many Mas Beens Now Living In New York and Engaged In Dusiness There.

Ir would be an interesting thing if it vere possible to find out and set down en paper the facts regarding some scores of men who once were prominent in the great world of national affairs, but who ne now heard of but seldom. So seldom indeed are the names of some of those once giants in the public's eye seen in the newspapers that their appearance excites surprise and occasionally the comment, "Why, I thought that man was dead."

These men are sometimes termed "has beens," and so they are in a sense, but many of them are still in active life,



ET-SUNATOR BRADBURY.

though not in public life, and no doubt the intimate friends of many such would be surprised to know how completely they have dropped out of public knowl-

Among the most interesting of all the present has beens are Joseph Bradbury of Maine, George W. Jones of Dubuque, Ia., and Alpheus Felch of Ann Arbor, Mich. These men are the oldest living ex-United States senators; they were all members of that body at the same time, but they retired so long ago that they have been forgotten by the great mass of their fellow citizens, although during the years of their public activity they were all personages of prominence. The oldest of the three is Joseph Bradbury. As he was born in 1802, he is now 93 years old. His six years' term in the senate began with 1847 and closed with 1853. Mr. Jones is nearly two years younger, his birth having occurred on April 12, 1804. His term of service in the senate began in 1848 and ended in 1859. Mr. Felch is a little younger than Mr. Jones, his birth was on Sept. 8, 1804, and he served exactly the same time as Mr. Bradbury. All three were members of the Thir-

tieth and Thirty-first congresses. They are the sole survivors of the senates of those congresses. They were the colleagues of John C. Calhoun of South Carolina, Sam Houston of Texas, Robert M. T. Hunter of Virginia, Tom Corwin of Ohio, William H. Seward of New York and John A Dix of the same state, Thomas H. Benton of Missouri, Jefferson Davis of Mississippi, Daniel Webster of Massuchusetts, Lewis Cass of Michigan, Hannibal Hamlin of Maine, Henry Clay of Kentucky, Herschell V. Johnson of Georgia, John M. Clayton of Delaware and many others of lesser importance, long since called from the scenes of their earthly labors and forgotten by the rushing world of today.

Each of the three oldest ex senators must have stored up in his memory a series of reminiscences that would prove a veritable mine to the mouiring writer. What they could tell of the politics of past years would no doubt be vastly entertaining and valuable. They could talk about other things than politics most interestingly also. Mr. Bradbury was a member of the famous class of 1825, at Bowdom, and among his associates there were Longfellow, the poet; Nathaniel Hawthorne, the writer of cerie romances; John S. C. Abbot, whose "Tales of Franconia" delighted the young several decades ago and whose life of Napoleon found thousands and thousands of read-



ers, and Jonathan Cilley, the Maine congressman who was killed in a duel by Graves of Kentucky in 1838. Mr. Bradbury was a practicing lawyer for many years and when a young man was also a journalist, being editor of the Maine Patriot for a number of years. He is extremely wall preserved and attended the World's fair in 1893.

Mr. Felch, who served as senator from Michigan, was the recipient of many politteal honors in his young manhood and middle life, having been a member of the state legislature, and serving a part of a term just before his election to the senate as governor of Machigan. After the J. D. WOOD expiration of his senatorial term, he was

ALM()ST F()R(+()TTEN. sent by President Pierce to California as a member of the commission appointed to settle the land claims there.

Mr. Jones served also in several other public places besides being a senator. President Buchanan sent him to New Granada (now Colombia), South America; as United States minister. Upon his recall from that place in 1861 he was accused of disloyalty and imprisoned at Fort Warren, but he was soon released. He was a warm friend of Jefferson Davis, and it was partly owing to the intimacy of the two men that Mr. Jones was charged with disloyalty. Like both the other venerable ex-senators here spoken of, Mr. Jones is in excellent health in spite of his advanced age. Three years ago he led the grand march at a charity ball, and he was one of those who, in 1893, escorted the remains of his old friend Davis from New Orleans to Richmond.

So much for these three of the oldest has beens. There are not many who have attained to their great age. John I. Blair, the venerable pioneer in railroad building, is one of those who have. Perhaps he should not be termed a has been, yet he is one who has been obliged to retire from the stress and auxiety of active life and whose name is seldom seen in print, excepting when a searcher after reminiscences seeks him out at his home in Blairstown, N. J. Mr. Blair is possibly not so active as the oldest exsenators. It is true that he is still president of the Belvidere (N. J.) bank, which he founded 50 or 60 years ago, but he is not now very active in its management and he passes most of his time in the warm weather sitting upon the upper veranda of the fine old house which has been his home since very early manhood. He likes to sit in the sun, and a part of the veranda has been inclosed with glass, so that even in cold weather he may enjoy his much loved sup bath every day that the solar luminary deigns to show its face.

General James S. Greene, the oldest living graduate of West Point, is another venerable has been. He lives in Morristown, N. J., in the winter, but he spends the summer, like the surightly old man that he is, at Newport, the summer capital of America's fashionable folk, while his antumns are put in at Schenectady, N. Y. General Greene has other distinctions besides that of being the oldest graduate of Uncle Sam's military academy. It was he who when the iron horse began to run his course on roads of iron in America, nearly 60 years ago, devised the railroad tie or sleeper. During the civil war he was a member of the northern army and he distinguished himself at Gettysburg.

The city of New York is the home of many has beens, several of whom are exgovernors. Ex-Governor Hondly of



Ohio, who during his term in that post was one of the best known men in the United States, is one of these. In a certain way, Mr. Hoadly is not a has been. His law firm enjoys one of the largest practices of any concern in New York. Mr. Lauterbach, who is now so prominent in New York city politics, is one of his partners. Mr. Hoadly was born in New Haven and comes of what might be termed "official stock," since his father, when a young man, served a term as mayor of New Haven, and then of Cleveland, while his grandfather, who was a captam in the Revolution, was elected to the Connecticut legislature 26 times consecutively, a record which has not been broken or equaled, so far as I know, in the land of steady habits. Mr. Hoadly was a partner of Salmon P. Chase in the law business at Cincinnati, and also served on the bench in that city. But from a money point of view, at least, he has scored his greatest success in New York.

Two of the other ex-governors now living in New York are named Chamberlain - Joshun L., ex-governor of Maine, and Daniel H., ex-governor of South Carolina. Joshua L. is an ex college president as well as an ex-governor. For years he was the chief executive of Bowdoin, and he served as professor of mental and moral philosophy for a number of years after 1874. He was an officer in the Federal army during the civil war and served in 24 pitched battles, a record that has been equaled by few. In his early days he was beensed to preach, and was government commissioner to the Paris exposition.

Ex-Governor Louisberry of Connecticut, still a resident of that state, is now a bank president in New York, and although he is a has been so far as the entire country is concerned, he is still an important factor in the business life of the metropolis of the Atlantic scaboard.

John S. Wise, sometimes called coloner and sometimes ex-governor, who was once much more prominent than he is now, is also living in New York at present. He was a soldier on the Confederate side, but he was neither a colone! nor a captain nor was he ever a governor. It was his father who was governor of Virginia, and who ordered the execution of John Brown Lake some of the others mentioned in this article, although Mr. Wise is less of a public character than in the past, he is making more money during his apparent retirement than he ever was before.

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18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, comer Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue,
26—James and Heary streets.
27—North and John streets, Fre crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
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214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
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37.—Mulberry and Fulton streets,
41.—Fulton street and East avenue,
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Mrs. E. Thoricid probably does not know it, but she is a new woman of the thirty-third degree. She is the pioneer togboat captain of her sex and not only owns, but steers the tug Ethel and Marion in Fan Francisco harbor. She did not make this departure because it was the fad to do so, but because five children were dependent upon her, and personally conducting a tugboat seemed the best paying thing she could do. Her husband owned the tug, and it gave him a good revenue until one day, during a birthday romp with his little daughter, he was pricked by a pin, blood poisoning set in and he died.

For a time Mrs. Thorrold endeavored to continue has business with the aid of hired help, but the tug's net earnings were insufficient for her needs, and she concluded to learn the business herself. With an engineer at her elbow she took her first lessons and ere long was able to steer the tog as well as a veteran.

This does not mean that she can yet be officially addressed as captain, for she lacks the "papers," without which no



MRs F TROUBOLD

one is allowed to engine-r a tag on San Francisco's bay, but she is competent to pass the statutory examination and intends soon doing so. Then she will be the titular captain of the Libel and Marion, as she is now really captain in

The engineer is still with her when she grasps the wheel and the tag goes puffing about among the ships, but Mrs. Thorrold coes not need his services in the least. With a brisk I usiness air she rings the bell. Her soft, white hands clutch the wheel firmly; her i right eyes watch the course ahead with unremitting vigilar co. The serew begins to turn and the tog is off on a mission that means bread for a family of six. Mrs. Therrold is not particularly anxious to vote, but she is proud of the fact that she is the only woman skipper of a tugboat in the United States.

Dijon. France, has a poplar tree with a record that can be traced to 722 A. D. It is 122 feet high and 45 feet in circumference it the base.

Carlyle Corrected.

At a Royal academy dinner in London come years ago several artists were expre-sing their enthusiasm about Titizm. Carlyle and Thackeray, it appears, were among the guests. Mrs Annie C. Wilson tells the story of what followed:

"His glorious coloring is a fact about Titian,' said one man, scriking the fa ble to give emphasis to the remark.

"And his glorious drawing is another fact about Titian! 'cased another artist And so they went on until Carlyle, who had be a listening in sinner to their rhapschies, but are ned them by saying, with a slow deliberation which had its own impressive emphasis:

"And here I sit, a man made in the image of God, who knows rething about Titian and cares nothing about Titian, and that's another fact alout Titian '

Thackeray was sipping claiet at the mement. He paused and bowed courtecusty to Carlyle. "Pardon me," he said: "that app are to me to be not a fact about Titian, but a fact, and a lamentable one, about Carlyie.

Prayer has a right to the word "ineffable." It is an home of outpourings which words cannot express-of that interior speech which we do not articulate, even when we employ it. -- Mme. Swetch-

During the four years of the civil war there were 107 patched battles, 102 combats my lying the presence of a number of regiments on each side and 362 skirmishes, sieges and other actions.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was taken down with pneumonia, succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption, and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr.King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at McMonagle and Rogers' Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Proceedings of Last Night's Regular Meeting The New Academy Tax Certificates Taken by the Trust Com. pany-A Text Book in Physiology Se leeted -Bills Audited.

A regular meeting of the Board of Education was beid last evening, present, President H. W. Wiggins, Mesers. Corwin, Howell, Galloway, Swalm, Dayton, Hanford, Harding, and Supt. Tuthill.

The librariau's report was read and ordered filed, and a check for \$19 20, received for fines and dues, was ordered to be depisited with the City

Treasurer. The Academy Committee reported the receipt of \$2 from the sale of a

Mr. Corwin reported the receipt of \$7.50, a return premium of insurance on the Linden avenue school house. Both sums were ordered to be de-

posited with the City Treasurer. The Building Committee reported the acceptance of a proposition from the Orange County Trust and Safe Deposit Company to take the \$69,000 of tax certificates, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent., at a pr mium of 11/4 per cent., in denominations of \$1,000, to be registered and to be issued in five equal installmente. The action of the committee was approved, and the Common Council was requested to make the loan as arranged by the Board of Education.

To Messra. Harding and Galloway was referred a communication from Mrs. Susan A. Friend concerning the Bennett Hill school.

A fence around the Benton avenue school grounds was ordered repaired as scor as practicable.

The president was authorized to procure a suitable frame for the picture of the proposed new academy building.

Mr. Hanford's motion to furnish text books on physiology free to the pupils was lest by a vote of 4 to 3.

In compliance with a recent law requiring the study of the effects of alconolic stimulants the Board adopted as a text book, Blaisdell's "How

to keep well." The following bills were audited: Van Duzer & Smith, shades....\$ 8 26 G. B Adama & Co., shades H. W. Wiggins, disbursements L V. Sinsabaugh & Co., labor Light Co., gas library...... Middletown Light and Power Co., library light..... F. M. Propk, glass.....

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 18 25

 E. H. Gregory, kindling
 3 40

 J. B. Clearwater, keys, locks
 1 60

 G. T. Townsend, disbursements Harvey Everetr, rent,.... 6 32 J B Swain, brooms..... C. E Crawford Furniture Co.,

8 63 chaire..... Total \$143 96

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown post office for the week ending Jan. 13th:

Magortis, Mrs. Oscar Robertson, Mrs. 8. A Tho:p, Misa Jesie care Huise, Elibes Reech. Miss Hattle Beardsles, ure. H. A. Chauber, Mrs. C. G. Homell, Mrs. Helen Morris, niss E. C.

Beiden, Wm. H. Brant, Gerry Beard-tey, Fred Gordon, J. R

Gribben, T. P. Hannah, Elias B-eley, James Wilcox, Wm. H. -2 C. L. ELWOOD, Postmaster.

Kingston's New Glass Works.

It is expected that the glass factory to be started in Kingston by practical

glass blowers from Brooklyn will be in operation by Marco. The concern will at first employ about thirty-five hands. Kingston's Board of Trade gives the projectors of the enterprise \$500 when the factory is completed and free of debt, \$250 at the end of the first year and \$250 at the end of the second year.

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OUAY FORCES WIN.

Interesting Fight for Party Control Among Philadelphia Republicans.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 15.—The Republican primary election was hold last night, and was one of the most butter political contests that has been fought in this city for a number of years. The adherents of Senator Quay, under the leadership of Senator Penrose and ex-Magistrate Durham, opposed Mayor Warwick, State Senator Porter and David Martin, and the fight was principally for the control of the new city committee and for representatives to the state convention that will name the Pennsylvania delegation to the national convention.

The returns are slow in coming in, and this morning both sides claim to have won. The vote is undoubtedly very close, and present indications are that the Quay forces have won.

The fight was most bitterly contested in Mayor Warwick's ward, the Fifteenth, and resulted in that official losing. Both the Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second wards were lost by Senator Porter.

The greatest interest was manifested by citizens in the election, and an unusually heavy vote for a primary election was polled. A number of disturbances were reported from various parts of the city, but none are believed to have resulted seriously.

The Mayor of Louisville Dead.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 15 .- Henry S. Tyler, mayor of Louisville, died yesterday at his home, Fifth and Oak streets. He had been ill for about five weeks. The cause of death was congestion of the kidneys and uremic poisoning. Mayor Tyler was 44 years of age and a native of Louisville. A vidow and several children survive him.

Marderously Assaulted by Italians. ALTOONA, Pa., Jan. 15.-Joseph Vergardo, an Italian, was murderously as saulted by three of his countrymen here last night with a coupling pin. The injured man is lying at the point of death in the Altoona hospital. The police sucseeded in capturing two of the assailants after a long search in the Italian colony.

Fell Into Burning Oil.

Chicago, Jan. 15 - John Neill, an employe of Lipton & Co.'s packing house at the stockyards, fell into a caldron of boiling oil and died at Mercy hospital after suffering intense agony. His fellow workmen were unable to rescue him until he had been cooked for a minute up to his

A Triple Murderer Meets His Match. Paris, Tex. Jan. 15.—At Detroit, sixteen miles east of here, in Red River county. Worth Duncan, a prominent merchant, shot and instantly killed Dr. J. S. Lennox. The trouble was over a debt. Lennox, who was the aggressor, had killed three men in his career.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

The Brazilian government has concluded a contract for the immigration of 100,905 foreigners, Italians being excluded. A new line of ocean steamships between

Boston and German ports, via Southampton, will probably be established soon. There is talk in New York of disbanding the bond syndicate. Banker Morgan

predicts the success of the popular loan. Sir John Lubbock presided at a meeting in London yesterday which passed a resolution in favor of a permanent arbitration

The Washington state immigration conrention memorializes congress to give the state an absolute grant to all the arid lands within the state.

The term of Circuit Judge J. B. Chris man, of Missouri, expires Jan 23 Governor Stone, whose own term expires Jan. 21, has renominated Judge Chrisman to suc

She Had Time. the emanerated woman, calling up stairs

to her husband. "in a n inute," was the reply. "I am just buttoning my gloves." "All right. I'll go over to the club and play a game of billiards to put in part of the time. '-New York World.

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Wife-Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pange of indigestion. Husband -The fool! Why didn't be take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking these little pills. W. D. Olney

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of every description, especially typhoid, is the doctor's fear and the patient's danger; medicine is of but little avail, sufficient nourishment to create new strength to carry the patient over the crisis is what is necessary, a persuading of the great machinery of the body to go on with its work is the end sought after; hence physicians recommend

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TN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, a cording to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Amy R. Galloway, late of the town of Monroe, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vanders thereof, to the subscribers, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at their respective places of residence, in the town of Blooming Grove, Orange county, N. Y., or 187 South at est, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of March next.

GEO. W. G. LLLOWAY, Executors.

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All estimates must be delivered to HENRY W. Barllos, President of the Board of Education, at his office, Month screet, on or be one. S. p, m of the

27TH OF JANUARY, 1896.

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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 15, 1896.

The formal dissolution of the bond eyndicate, announced la our dispatches, may be accepted as an assurance of the complete success of the popular loan. Had there been ary charce of the subscriptions falling short of the government's needs there is no doubt that Mr. Morgan would have felt it a patriotic duty to hold the syndicate together.

An epidemic of scarlet fever threatensithe public institutions on Racdali's and Blackwell's islands. New cases of the disease are reported daily, and physicians in the hospitals say that the patients are in a bad hygienic condition, and if the fever becomes epidemic the death rate will be heavy.

The Facts, an ourspoken Prohibition organ published at Elmira, says the proposition of the Raines excise bill to divert half the tax on liquor dealers to the State treasury is the 'blackest feature of an odious measure for it contemplates bribing the country's conscience with the city's gold." The "blackest feature" of the Raines bill is not, however, to be found in the lines of the measure, but in the bad faith that inspires it. There are good reasons for believing that it is not intended to pass the bill, but to hold it as a club over the brewing and liquor dealing interests to compel their support of and their contributions for the Republican campaigr, next

HYMENEAL.

Bodd-Jamp,

There was a very quiet wedding at Grace Church at 2 o'clock, this afternoon, when Rector David Evans in the presence of the bride's parents and a few other relatives upited in marriage Mr. Harry Dodd and Miss

The bide is a daughter of Mr. John Jump, of this city, and the proom is a son of Mr. John Dodd, of Otisville.

After a short wedding tour the happy couple will take up their residence in this city.

Mayette-Con int.

Friends in this city have received cards announcing the marriage of Lieutenant Henry R. Mayette, Secretary of the 124 h Regt. N. Y. Vol. Veteran Association, to Miss Amelia B. Conant, at Brooklyn, Jan. 14th.

The Friday Night Club Entertained,

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Houston entertained the Friday Night Club at their residence, cornar of Prospect and Houston avenues, last night, the change of the evening being made on account of the Benedicts' hop. Mrs. D C. Sayer, for the second

time this week was a prize winner, the prize in this instance being a souvenir spoon. The gentleman's priz, a pearl

handled knife, was won by Mr. O. J. J. Werley.

Sale of Another Wantage Farm. Correspondence ARGUA and MERCURY.

On Tuesday afternoon, Joshua Case, Jr., austioneer, of Unionville, N. Y., sold at public auction. at Decamp's Hotel, Deckertown, the farm of Jacob D. Buckber, situated in Wantage township, N. J., to John Kimble, Esq., of Unionville. The farm contained 70 acres and brought \$30 60 per acre. At the same Mr. Case sold for Mr. Buckbee 41 acres of bog meadow to Mrs. Sarah A. VanSichle at \$15 per acre.

Did you ever step to think what indigestion really means? It means simply that your stemach is tired. horse and the steam engine du the work. Why not give your stomach a lide; that is, let something else do the work. Foods can be digested outside of the boly. All plants contain digostive principles which do The Shaker Digestive Cordial contains digestive principles and is a preparation designed to rest t e stomach. The Shakers themselves have such unbounded confidence in it that they have placed 10 cent sample bottles on the market, and it is said that even so small a quantity proves beneficial in a vast majority of cases. All druggists keep it.

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In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual constipation, well informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

Dr Miles' Nerve Plasters for Rhoumatism.

THE ARGUS. LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE BOND SYNDICALE DISSOLVED Members Formally Released by R

Circular from J. P. Morgan & Co ET UNITED PRESS.

New York, Jan. 15-Members of the band syndicate have received a circular from J. P. Morgan & Co., releasing them from their commitments to furnish their pro rata share of \$100,000,000 in gold to the gavernment and a second \$100,000,000 if desirable, taking their pay in four per cent, bonds. The circular says this action seems desirable in view of the terms of the treasury circular offering the bonds to the public.

The dissolution of the syndicate did not aff-et the stock market.

TWENTY-ONE PERSONS DROWNED. The Steamer Ciscar Sunk in the Bay of

BY UNITED PRESS.

Biscay.

London, Jan. 15,-The Steamer Ciscar from Hamburg for Spain was sunk off Calais in collision with a German ship. Reports are contradictory, but the best advices obtainable are that the captain, mate and a passenger were picked up by a fishing smack, and that the others on the steamer, twenty-one in ali,

THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVEN-

were drowned.

Anybody's Fight but New Yorkers More Repetul of Capturing the Prize. BY UNITED PERSE

Washington, Jan. 15 -The work of selecting a convention city by the Democratic National Convention will not begin until 3 o'cleck, tomorrow afternoon. At noon, to-day, it was anybody's fight, with the New Yorkers more confident.

TEN NEW SHOPS FOR THE BRITISH NAVY.

BY UNITED PRESS

LONDON, Jan. 15 -The Admiralty has invited tenders from Olyde shipyards for ten third class cru ters carrying ten gues each.

NO WAR SHIPS FOR EASTERN WATERS BT UNITED PRESS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 15 - The government announces that the United States has informed the Mini ster at Washington that no war vessels will be ordered to eastern waters.

Wedding Invitations.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Blanchard have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter. Maude Amelia to Mr. Elward Charles Ocowell, of New York, at Grace Caurch Wednesday evening, January 29 h, at slx o'clock. A reception will fo low at the resilance of Mr. and Mrs. H. H Hunt, No. 28 Oorsland street, at half-past six o'clock.

A \$349 Julynent for Fifty Ceats,

John L. Wigglog. Esq , as receiver of the property of George Van Steenburg, of Newburgh, to-day, sold at auction a judgment for \$340 against Ohas, M. Sease, of Searsville. It was bought by J. C. R Taylor, Eaq, for

state Hospital Ice Contract.

The State Hospital has contracted with Book & Tiedamann, of the Orystal Spring Lee Company, to place 1 000 tons of ice in the ice bouse on the hospital grounds. The contract price is fifry-five cents a ton.

the Cold Bave Belayed.

The Manitoba cold wave has not traveled eastward as rapidly as was expected and the weather prophets now say it will not leach here before Friday. It will, it is predicted, be preceded by snow and high winds.

The folly of prejudice is frequently hown by people who prefer to suff-r for years rather than try an advertised remedy. The millions who have no such notions, take Ayer's Sareaparilla for blood-diseases, and If our leas are tired, we ride. The are cared. So much for common

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About a year ago, Mr. Isaac Lipfeld, a young, ambitious and somewhat inexperienced merchant, having bought too large a stock of clothing for the quick sale of which the season was not lavorable, fourd himself unable to meet maturing bills and the Sheriff levied on the stock in the store under executions for a large amount. At the Sheriff's sale Mr. Samuel Lipfeld bought in the stock to prevent its being sacrificed and ne and his son have since devoted their best energies to turning it into cash and, as fast as possible, payments have been made on Mr. Isaac Lipfeld's debta, the last dollar of which the business world, free and clear and with an untarnished name.

The amount of indebtedness paid is not far from \$20,000. Not a dollar of this could have been collected by legal process, but both the father and son were determined that there should be no stain on the name of Lipield and every claim against Isaac Lipfeld was paid as quickly as

The Messrs. Lipfeld are to be congra'ulated on the success of their effort to do the right thing, and their honorable course in this matter gives them a stronger hold than ever before on the confidence and esteem of the people of this city and vicinity.

Another Hitch Between Port Jervis and Its Electric Road,

There is another hitch in the matter of the granting of an electric railway franchise in Port Jervie. After it was supposed terms satisfactory to all parties had been agree i upon, the Board of Trustees met an l put in a clause requiring the company to build its power house within the corporation. This the company very properly objects to as do many of the citizens of Port Jervis who want to see the road built.

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CON - At the residence of her son-in-law. Walter Harlor, near South Centerville Jar. 13 h. '96, of pneumonia, Mary P., widow of the late Stiles Cox, aged seventy-three years Funeral Thuesday morning, at eleven o'clock from the residence of her son-in-law, Walter

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS. Washington, D. C., Jan. 15 - Threatening weather, rain or snow Thursday; slightly warmer tonight, walmer Thursday; northerly winds becoming

THE TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the ther

mometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 217; 12 m., 28°; 3 p. m. 32°

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION. -Jan 13 IS - Minnie and Frederick Seward, at Curi o. -Jan. 15 - Conund: um S elai, at North Street Church

Street Church

-Feb 3-Sato Sanutara, J panese wonder
worker, for the Y. M. C. 4.

-Feb 17-231 annual ball McQuoid Engine
C). at Casino.

-March 2-Miss Carrie Louise Ray, for the
Y. M. C. 4.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

-Creckers 3 cents, sugar 5 cents a pound at J W. Sloar's -Mesonie charm io r. - Men's beaver fox d boots \$2 at Chas. D Hanfo C's-

-Don't forget Minnie Seward.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

-Additional local matter will be found enthird page. -The Register is authority for the

statement that Newburgh 'ladies' whiat'e in the street. -N-wburgh's Aldermen, last

night, refused to accept a new fire company which had been organized up town. -Minnia Saward will present

night. She is an actress of ability. Dun't fail to see her. -The last six morths fall far short

of the average rainfall. Since winter appears to be the opinion that he will set i i it is as hard for it to snow as it was for it to rain during the fall.

-A valuable red setter dog was billed by a trolley car on James etreet, this m rolog. It belonged to arrive at the verdict as rendered. Mr. W. F. Boyce and was valued at

-The Sun wants the address of Gil Collamore, who pitched for the Asylums lest year.

-Cake sale at the store of J. G. Harding, on West Main street, Fridar, from 3 to 6 p. m.

-Tue Young Men's Social Club will give a ball at the Assembly

Rooms, to-bight. -Morris B. Wolf, having purchased a large part of A. J. Cabili's Juthing stock, will offer same at

special sale, commencing, te-morrow. His announcement will appear, to-- The thirty doys in which State and county taxes could be paid without the fee of five per cent, expired,

to-day. Oity Clerk Hamilton has rec ived about \$20 000, leaving about \$7,000 still to be collected.

o'eleck. -Mr. T. J. Dwyer, propiletor of

the Orange county nurs-ries at Cornwall, has issued a very handsome ilshrubs, plants, etc., which may be had on application.

-The Newburgh Electric Railroad Company offers \$85 in prizes to be skared for at Olange Lake, Wednes- and David Darby, who looked to be d.v. Thursday and Saturday. The Saturday prize, \$25, is for boys.

PERSONAL.

-Our well known townsman, Mr. Martin B. Cox and family, left town, this moroing, and it is reported that Mr. Cox will be married during the day to Miss Mary Winans of Vernon, N. J.

-Mrs. John Donovan received, this morning, the sad tidings of the death, last night, or her mother, Mrs. Ann Conway, at Pittsfield, Mass Mr. and Mrs. Donovan will start for Pittefield, to night, to be present at

the funeral. -Dr. Alea Hrdlicke, who for several years past has filled the position York and on the 19 h inst, will sail via the St. Paul for Paris, where he will enter upon a course of study at the Pasteur Institute.

TO RECULATE MILK SALES.

New Lork & Health Board Proposes to License All Bealers.

President Wilson, of the Health Board of New York city, at yesterday's meeting offered the following amendment to the Sanitary Code regulating the sale of milk:

"No milk shall be rec-ived, held, kept, offered for sale, or delivered at any place in the city of New York without a permit in writing from the Board of Health and subject to the conditions thereof.'

Mr. Wilson said that this would give the Health Board complete control of the milk supply and enable it to stop the sale of adulterated milk. The amendment took the usual course and .was laid over for one week. When it is adopted the Health Board will practically have au hority to say who shall sell milk and where it shall be supplied from.

Physicians recommend Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup because of the prompt, positive action in all cases of lung trouble. It is a positive reliable cure for coughs and colds.

MANSLAUGHTER IN FIRST DEGREE.

Verdict of the Jury in the Case of Joseph Andreacchi To Be Sentenced Thursday-Other Prisoners Arraigned -The Judge's Little Joke-An O. and W. Conductor's Suit Against the B

The court room was filled, Tuesday afternoon, when District Assorney Hir chiberg began his address to the jury in summing up in the prosecution of the case of Joseph Andreacchi, indicted for the murder of Chauncey Casterline, at Port Jervis, on April 15th last. Mr. Hirschberg spoke for ore hour.

Judge Dickey, in charging the jury, said that it was virtually admitted Casterline, but he claimed that it was done in self-defense and that, therefore, the homicide was justifiable. The Judge then defined what corstituted justifiable homicide and also defined the different degrees of murder and the first degree of mansiaughter. He also said that the jury, taking into account the difference in the size of the two men must determine whether the prisoner received such treatment at the hands of Casterline as would justify the use of a deadly weapor, and also whether the prisoner had brought on himself the conseque ces of his own acts.

The jury retired at 3:15, and after being out twenty minutes asked for the map of the locality where the affair occurred.

MANSLAUGHTER IN FIRST DEGREE.

At 4.20 it was announced that the jury had agreed. The prisoner was brought in and the jury came into court and through its foreman, David Probert, announced that they had "Dai's Girl," at the Casino, to found a verdiet for manslaughter in the first degree.

Judge Dickey said be would sentence the prisoner on Thursday. It not get more than ten years

It is learned that the jury were of nearly one opinion from the start and is did not take long for them all to

PRISONERS ARRAIGNED

Prisoners against whom indict ments were found by the late Grand Jury were brought before the court at this time and disposed of as fol-

Richard J. Thorne, twenty years old, indicted for grand larceny in stealing \$59 from the pockets of a fellow employe at the Tuxedo Park Club House, pleaded guilty to past larceny. J. B. Swez-y asked that sentence be suspended. When Judge Dickey asked the prisoner why he etole the money he sail he dil 'c know, only that it was a "wild im pulse." He was sentenced to the county jail for fifty-nine days, "as a reminder that you took \$59."

Lewis Relyes, thirty years old, Indicted for grand larcesy in the secand degree in stealing a set of harness from Mr. Case, of Case & San--A meeting of Surprise Hook and ford. Warwick, was allowed to plead Ladder Co., will be held at Arthur to petit larceny. He was remanded Cox's hom-, corner of Beartie avenue | until Thursday for sentence. He and Prince street, this evening at 7.30 | was sent to the penitentiary eighteen years ago.

Edward Jefferson, colored, of Goshen, indicted for burglary in the third degree in breaking in a car on lustrated catalogue of trees, berries, the tracks of the Er e Railway a d stealing twenty-five pounds of boney, pleaded not guilty. W. H. Wyker, E-q., was assigned as counsel.

Two little pickaninnies, Jerome about six and eight years old, were artaigned on the charge of having committed the crime of wilfully placing obstructions on the Montgomery Branca of the Erie Rulway, in the town of Goshen. Judge Dickey wanted to knew if there was any one to appear for them and the mother stepped forward and said she thought she might get Mr. Wyker. The midgets were remanded to the jail until some one could be assigned to look cut for their case.

- AN O. AND W COMOUCTOR'S SUIT.

The case of James Flanagan, an O. and W. conductor, vs the Dala ware and Hulson Canal Co., for damages sustained in the loss of an arm in the yard at Sidney, was next was himself nominated for a Suof interne at the State Hospital in taken up. Mr. Flanagen (was mak- preme Court judgeship by President this city, left, this morning, for New | ing a coupling on a switch in the yard used for crippled cars when D. and H cars were backed into the rogate's Court in Newburgh, yesterswitch without warning and, it is alleged in violation of the rules of the yard, and his arm was caught between the bumpers and crushed. The case is still on.

CASINO COMPANY ELECTION.

The Old Board of Directors and Officers Re-elected.

The annual election of the Casino Theatre Co. was held yesterday afternoon. The old Board of Directors were elected as follows:

H. W. Corev, W. D. Stratton, E. A. Brown, I. F. VanDozer, J. H. Drake. Mesers. C. Macardeil and Leander Brink were elected Inspectors of

Election. The directors then elected the following officers:

President-E. A. Brown. Vice President-I F. Van Duzer, Secretary-F M Stratton. Treasurer-Geo. H. Decker. Manager-H. W. Corey.

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atockholders in National Banks Choose

Directors-Officers Elected, The annual election of the National Back of Orange County at Goshen was held Tuesday. The directors chosen were George W. Murray, Frank W. Murray, Charles M. Vail, Oharles J. Everett and Charles S Edsail. Mr. George W Murray was re-elected President and Mr. Carriss J. Everett, Cashier.

PORT JERVIS BANKS.

The stockholders of the First National Bank of Port Jervis elected the following directors, Tuesday: Charles Brox. C. E. Cuddeback, M. C. Everitt, Wm. P. Hornbeck, J. B. by the prisoner that he standed Livtor, C. P. Reuling, George Schoonover, Evi Shimer, H. B. Swartwout, J. D. Swinton, C. F. Van Inweger, Eli Van Inwegen, Henry B. Welis.

The stockholders of the National Bink of Port Jervis elected the following directors: Francia Marv.n. Thomas Sharp, Robert Jordan, P. G Wagner, A T Porter, L E. Carr, W. A. Parshall, W. L. Cuddeback, W. E. Scott. The board of directors then met and elected its (fficers as follows: President, Francis Marvin; Vice-President, Thomas Sharp: Cachier, W. E. Scott; Asst Cashier, L E Goldsmith; Telier, J. W. Gor-

NEWBURGH BANKS.

At the National Bank of Newburgh the directors were ie elected as fol-Chadwick, Isaac C. Chapman, Michael Doyle, Joseph V. Jordan, Chas. J. Lawson, John J. S. Mc-Oroskery, Howard Thornton, Alanson Y Weller. Mr. John J. S. Mc-Croskery was re-elected President, and Mr. Charles J. Lawson was reelected Vice-President.

At the Highland Bank of Newburge, the directors were re-elected as follows: E. C. Barnes, A. Bridgeman, A Denniston, Smith E.y. M. H. Hirschberg, J. T. Lawson, C. H. Mead, B. B. Olell, Jr., J. A. Sneed W. G. Taggart, D. S. Waring. Hon. Augustus Denniston was re-elected President, and E. C. Barnes was elected Vice-President in place of Daniel S. Waring.

At the Quassaick National Bank of Newburga the directors were reelected as follows: Leander Clark, Jr, Abram S. Cassedy, John Dales, John E. Lawson, Wm. O. Mailler, Theodore Merritt, Samuel C. Mills. Henry McCann, George H. Ross, J. N. Weed, Alexander Young, The directors re elected Mr. J. N. Weed, President, and Mr. Wm O Mailler, Vice-President.

Judge Charles F. Brown and Mr. John G Wilkinson were selected as Trustees of the Newburgh Savings Bank in place of J. H. H. Chapman and James Bigler resigned.

THE CAHILL FAILURE

Be Brought for Forcible Fjectment.

There is a new situation in the matter of the sale of the Cahill stock of claiming. The sheriff had advertised the sale of the stock at 10 o'clock, this morning, under an execution of judgment for \$1,300 held by Mr. Cabil's father, but Mr. Sampter, of Sampter & Co, of New York, who had a second judgment of \$3,300, arrived in town, this morn ing, and announced that he had pur chased Mr. Cahill's claim and was now the first judgment creditor and would sell the goods, postponing the sale until this afternoon. He also gave it out that he would contest the legality of the sale made, a few days ago, under the foreclosure of chattel mortgage.

It is also understood that another suit grewing out of the mortgage sale is about to be brought for the forcible ejectment from the room of a representative of the judgment creditors.

Wheeler H. Peckham a Witness in Surrogate's Court

Hon. Wheeler H Packham, brother of Justice Rulus W Peckham, of the United States Supreme Court, who Cleveland, but failed of confirmation by the Senate, was a witness in Surday, in the matter of probating of the will of Mary Elizabeth Peckham, of

Population of the State Hospital.

Woodbury.

According to the Conglomerate there were, Tuesday, 1,127 patients in the State Hospital for the Insane, in this city, of whom 561 were males and 566 females. During the week eight patients were admitted and two discharged.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN COSHEN.

Knights of Phythias lostallation - Pay Your Taxes-Odd Pellows' Officers' In- rendered: stalled-Mr. Malson Tells of Ogden's Gold Mine Boom - Officers of St

Lodge, K. of P., will be installed, this evening, by D. D. Grand Master will be served. Depuy, of Chester.

-Te-morrov will be your last chasce to pay your taxes at one per cent. Collector Scott will be pleased to see you at the drug store of Power -The installation of the newly

elected officers of Orange Lodge, I. O O F, was held, last evening, and conducted by D. D. G. M. Toos. W. Lewis. The occasion was an excoptionally pleasant one. A large lows: Eugene A. Brewster, James delegation from Mindletown Lodge, 112, was present and a collation was served after the ceremonies.

-The Rev. W. E. Maison, formerly rector of St. James's Church, this village, now of Ogdec, Usab, writes a friend in this village, that the town of Ogden has experienced a boom, four gold mines having been but lately discovered within a half mile of the village and that capital sta, miners and speculators are arriving daily in large numbers.

-The laties of St. James's Guild held their election Monday afternoon. The officers chosen are: President-Mrs. W. D Van Vliet.

Vice-President-Mrs. Emma Frost, Treasurer-Miss Alice Sayer. Secretary-Mrs. H. C. Duryes. Assistant Secretary-Mrs. Charles

MISSING MORGAN R N'CHOLS-

L Newspaper story of His Besertion of Story Discredited by Mchols' Friends From Our Goshen Correspondent.

The New York World of yesterday ontained a half column article relarive to the doings of a former Goshenite, Morgan R, Nichols. The gist of the story was that Nichols had married, in November last, a handsome Hebrev maiden, Rose Levy, of New York, professing to be worth considerable money, and that Legality of the Chattel Nortgage Sale he had recently deserted her, taking to Be Contested-Another suit uny besides his clothing a borrowed dress suit and his bride's gold watch, and that his bride left for Goshen, Mocday, to obtain information regarding her erring husband. She has not vet arrived here, however,

Nichols has a number of friends in Gushen, who one and all discredit the story as above given. But that it has some elements of truth is ob-

Mr. M Jonas received, Monday, a letter from Mrs. Nichola concerning her husband. She said that he left home a week before, saying that he was coming to Goshen to see Mr. Jonas, who, he had heard, was inured in a trolley accident between Goshen and Middletows. Nichols had not been seen at Gushen, and the young woman was notified to

that effect. Nichols is a harness maker by trade, and was, for about one year, employed by the firm of A. Slach & Son. Mr. Slach speaks highly of Nichols, and says that he was square and upright in every way.

N chela' Goshen triands, who saw the World's article, are generally inclined to think that it is altogether "off," or that something has hap pened to the man.

On a Long Tour of Inspection,

President Thomas, and the Vice IRON President, Chief Eugineer and General Superintendent Fitch, of the Erie, started, yesterday, on a tour of inspection of the road and all its branches from Jersey City to Chi cago. Eagineer Joseph Coots, with engine 431, will make the entire trip with the officials.

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LE COME EXELLED SET later the natives killed Atkinson while he was asleep and ate him.

William Freston Harrison was born in 1869 and was graduated from Chicago university in 1887. He then accompanied his father on a tour of the globe, spending 18 months in Asia and Europe. In 1889 he and his brother, Carter H. Harrison, Jr., embarked in the real es-

MIDI OFFICEN STORY

ALFRED THE SECOND.

The New Poet Laurezte Resembles Tennyon In One Particular at Least.

In one respect England's new poet laureate, Austin, resembles his immor-

tal predecessor. Tennyson was baptized"Alfred" and so was Austin. Their resemblance in other respects is conspicuous by its absence. Tennyson was a great poet and Austin is not, but for that matter Eugland, like Amer-

ica, has a very indifferent assortment of great poets at the present time. The death of Tennyson, however, created a demand for poet laureate timber, and Austin, who is said to be a better courtier than poet, was chosen to stop the gap. There were better men in England, of course-men like Swinbarne and William Morris, but Swinburne is very democratic in his views and a trifle unconventional in matters of morality, while Morris is an avowed socialist and a foe of England's

existing form of government. Their claims to the laureateship were naturally presented to Premier Salisbury by their numerous friends and admirers and the imaginative eye may in fancy see the noble marquis, regent of British poesy, expressing the great bards back to their friends with the trite editorial comment that "the rejection of a poet does not necessarily imply lack of liter-

Alfred Austin is in his sixty-first year and is a native of Headingly, near Leeds. His father was a magistrate of Leeds and his mother was a sister of Joseph Locke, an eminent civil engineer of the day. He was graduated from the University of London in 1853, and was called to the bar of the Inner Temple in 1857, but soon devoted himself to literary pursuits. Long before he studied law he had coquetted with the muses and at the age of 18 anonymously published a poem called "Randolph." His first acknowledged volume, "The Season; a Satire," appeared in 1861 and was so vigorously assailed by the critics that he replied in a poem which he later suppressed.

The new laureate has been a very successful journalist and has written three novels. He founded The National Review and edited it until 1898. His muse has ever been at the service of the Conservatives and to this fact is doubtless due his present elevation.

HOBNOSBED WITH HEAD HUNTERS.

Editor Harrison and His Hair Raising Adventures Among the Solomon Islanders.

William Preston Harrison, son of Chicago's martyred mayor, Carter H. Harrison, is tack in the Windy City profoundly thankful that some enterprising head hunter of the Solomon islands is not now treasuring his skull as a curio. Like his late father, he is very fond of traveling, and he has just spent a year cruising among the south sea islands. He had many exciting adventures and narrow escapes and at one time it was even reorted that he had furnished a meal for those incorrigible cannibals, the Solomon islanders.

He visited Hawaii and lived for two months in the bush on the Fiji islands. He then spent three months cruising among the Solomon islands, which were inhabited by the most savage tribes be saw. He also visited the French penal station in New Caledonia, the Loyalty islands, Tonga, Australia and New Zealand and that "paradise of earth," Samon. The first place he stopped at among the Solomon islands was Santa Anna, where three years ago a Russian trader was killed and eaten for quarreling with a native. Two weeks before he reached Rubiana two white men were upset while sailing along the coast. The



WILLIAM PRISTON HARRISON.

sea, rescued the castaways like good Samaritans, and then killed and cooked them.

with Charles Atkinson, an Englishman who had been there eight years and thought he knew the treacherons natives well. Atkinson was very kind to Harrison and the young Chicagoan was shown the sights of the island by the natives. Atkinson urged Harrison to remain and accompany him on his next trading trip and Harrison was nearly persuaded to do so. His companion, B. F. Hammersley of Philadelphia, prevailed upon him to go on, however, and the act undoubted-

ly saved Harrison's life, for a few weeks

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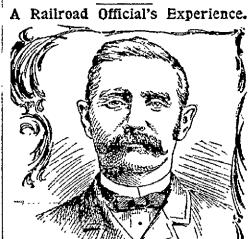
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Oliver H. P. Belmont is one of fortune's favorites. He is a son of August-Belmont, the world famous banker, who died a few years ago, and a mreet descendant on his meater's side of Com-



OLIVER B P. BLIMONT.

modore Ohver Hazard Perry, who at the age of 27 whipp'd an entire British squadron of six ships on Lake Erie in 1813 and sent his famous message, "We have met the enemy and they are ours," to General William Henry Harrison. Oliver Belmour as a boy adopted the sea as a profession and with a commendable desire to because a hero like his illustrious ancester was educated at the Annapolis Naval academy and served long enough to learn that he would probably be old and gray before he rose to the command of a ship.

Resigning from the navy, Belmont married Miss Susan Whiting, who later divorced him, and devoted hunself to travel. His father left him a fortune, and his wealth has made it possible for him to visit about every part of the habitable globe. He has also devoted himself to the acquisition of a great racing stud and possesses one of the fluest stables of carriage horses in the world. He owns a palatial mansion called Belcourt at Newport and entertains there in princely style. His grand bachelor ball at Belcourt last summer was one of the social sensations of the season.

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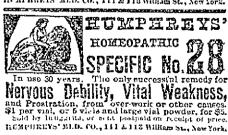
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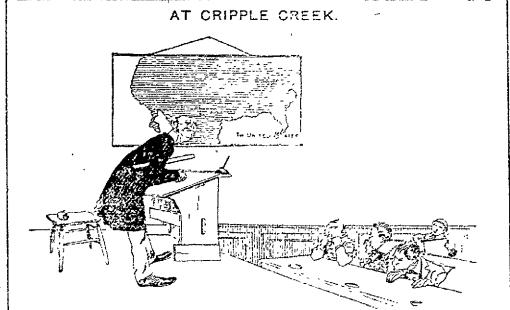
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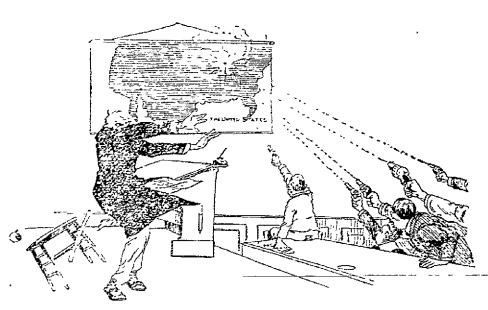
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ly been giving your energies to your work.

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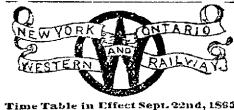
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- Daat Sars-In my saity days, by great and proloaged mental suffer ing I broke down in health and became a dyspentic, being officed at one time to give up my work in the ministry on account of 41-health, 1 am now 83 years of age, and during my long life have sufficied greatly from dyspepsia, torpid tivor, constipation and insomnia, at times thinktagthat I should die for wart of bymy sleep, and it is a wonder to the char I am alive to day with all thar I have been through I am a swenger to my-cl, and those who wi sies my babies and know my are. L tell them that I try to obey the saws of pasure, and that I take laine's celery comp und whenever

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THE VENEZUELAN QUESTION-

The Enunciation of the Mouree Doctrine-President Cleveland's Formulation of the Principle [Underlying It-British E icroachment on Venezuelan Territory.

BY J ELMER MELICK.

Continued from Monday. Tals purpose was more clearly outlined, more accurately defined at the congresses of Aix la Chapelle and Leyback; and at the congress of Verona in 1822, it was proposed, in compliance with the wishes of the absolutists in Spaid, to compel the Spanish-American colonies to return to their allegiance to the mother country. This prop sal of the allied powers having been communicated by the British foreign secretary, Mr. Canning, to I resident Mocroe, te in his world- enowned massage to Congress in 1823 laid down the American policy in the following language:

We owe, therefore, it to candor and to the anneable relations existing between the United States and the Alited Powers to declare that we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their statem to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety. Wit-the existing colonies or dependen-cies of any European cower we have not interfered, but with the governments who have declared their independence and maintained it, and whose independence we have, on great consideration and just principles, acknowledged, we could not view an interposition for the purpose of oppressing them or con rolling in any other minner their desing (oy any European power) in any other light than as a manifestation of an unificantly disposition toward the United States."

This is not so much the enunciation of a principle as its application to a specific cass.

To President Cleveland belongs the honor as well as credit of formulating the principle underlying the Monroe doctrine in no uncertain or | can Legion of Honor, last night. equivocal terms. He says in his message to Congress, "the traditional and established policy of this goverament is firmly opposed to a forcible increase by any European tower of its territorial possessions on this continent" This principle is, and ever has been, heartily endorsed by the unan mous sentiment of Ameri cans, and it has been repeatedly evoked to prevent foreign aggrestion in this hemisphere. It "was neither inspired by the stock mar-ket nor simulated by the price of cotron," but "was the ultimatum of a patriotic people, in times of peace, to preserve the integrity of our inst tutions in safety and honor," and the American people will never allow any bull movement of English capitalists or mendicant howls from the Chambar of Commerce to prevent its enforcement, when the exigency it was intended to obviate

The Venezuelan boundary question is not, as has been intimated, reached and she appealed to us for he left Ellenville. protection against the unwarrantable encroachment of England.

As President Cleveland intimates in his message, England has been afforded ample opportunity to amicably settle by arbitration or otherwise her difficulties with Vanezuela; but, far from doing so, she has through her diplomatic representative, Lord Salisbury, iterated her determination to maintain her claims and question ed the right of this country to inter-

It is true that the Monroe Doc trine is not among the institutes of international law (for the very reason that the settled policy of this country, paramount even to the Monroe Doctrine, is not by compact with other nations to render it possi ble for them to embroil us at their pleasure in their wars), but neither is the principle of armed intervention of allied powers before adverted to as obtaining throughout Europe; and, furthermore, even international law has no other or higher sunction inan the ability and disposition of nations to enforce it at the cannon's month, and this may with equal verity and a curity be predicated of the Monroe Detrine as the els-Atlantic policy of our American people.

The only alternative let us as a nation by Lord Saliebury's commusication was to determine whether there had been any encroschment on the part of Eag and upon Venezualan territory since the enunciation of the Monroe Doctrine in 1823, and to what extent; and then to intimate to England that she must either retire within the limits prescribed or prehowe o, without any quostion My pare to settle her claims by the arbitappetite is now good, my sleep is re- rament of war with the United

This is the only arbitration we can now offer England consistently with | \$1.59. our dignity and prestige as a nation. Having promulgated the Monroe doctrine for the preservation of the integrity of our institutions, we stand prepared as a nation to enforce it again t all odds at the cannon's mouth. Very properly therefore did Congress pase the bill, echoing the sentiment of the American people, empowering Procident Claveland to appoint a commission to determine the original boundary of Venezuela:

Venezu lab territory, it is eafe to and just out.

eume, as this is what she has been and is now doing on every continent in the world. That she knows the strategic importance of Barima io controlling the territory drained by the Orinoc; River and its tributaries is evicced by the fact that she holds the strategic points of the world.

The intrinsic value or the strategic importance of the territory claimed by her in Venezuela la, however, as immaterial as is the question of what is ner armament, who her allies. It is the principle whose integrity we are bound to defend against ail aggressors, and shall we stop to count the cost, to calculate the probabili ties more than did they was establisher our institutions with their bloud and pessive1 to us intact their integrity, their prestige through a century of viciesitule that we, their posterity, as well as they, might erjoy the blessings of liberty?

It has been intimated that an effort is on foot in London to have a treaty (outherto held in abeyance for diplematic reasons) signed, by which resty it is proposed to settle by ar bitration all international difficulties between this country and England. Imagine an arbitration committee, constituted as it must and would be of the representatives of powers, combined in the Hory Alliance, passing judgment upon the Monroe doctrine; jet even that, absurd as the proposition may seem, is possible, unless the designs of the movement adverted to are frustrated.

Allow me ic closing to assure the churchmen of America that the millanium will never be hastened by European aggrand zement in this hemisphere.

A PUBLIC INSTALLATION

Of Officers of Barmonia Council A. L. II,

Tuere was a public installation of officers of Harmonia Council, Ameri-The attendance was large and the visitors found much to laterest them in the ceremonies.

The installing officer was District Daputy Grand Commander A. S. Millspauge, of Goshen.

The following were the officers installed:

Com.-A. Gottwald. Vice-O:m -A P Powelson. Ora or-John Henning. Secretary and Collector-Gustave

Treas .- N. Shellenberg. Chaplain-Osto Bender.
Guide-Mrs. M. Krager.
Warden-J. M. Houston.
Sentinal-George Wagner. Trustee-George Wagner.

After the installation a fine supper was served by the ladies of the council.

Speeches were made by District Depu'y Milispaugh and Messrs, N. Shellenberg and Gustav_Gunther.

Beath of Father Goodwin.

Raw Bernard A. Goodwin, who. the mere demarkation of a fron 1876 to 1883, was in charge o tier," but has been a stordy and de- the Oatholic Courch at Ellenville and liberate accretion of territory on the ! its outlying stations, Liberty and part o' England by gradually extend- | Wurtaboro, died, Dec. 17th, at Droing her boundary, until the limit of | more, County Tyrone, Ireland, his Venezuelan endurance has been netive place, where he resided after

> Balance Due on the Hospital Ambulance Must Be Paid,

The committee which purchased the ambulance for Thrall Hospital owes \$135 on the ambulance, and the manufacturers have written saying that if the money is not paid they will have to take back the ambulance. Tagse who are willing to help pay off the balance may leave their contributions at this office.

THE L'BRARIAN'S REPORT.

the Most Popular Books-Boys Read Better Books Chan Girls-The Moury Brawer Robbed,

The report of the City Librarian, Miss Mary K. Van Keuren, for the quarter ending, January 13r, shows that a total of 6,311 books were borrowed during the term. The circulation for the year was 27,166 an increase of 2,317 over 1894. The most popular book was "Trilby," but its popularity is waning and "Beside the Bonnie Briar Buch" is now in the tead, with bound copies of the magazione close seconda.

The pupils of the public schools patroniza the library to a very large extent, and as a rule the boys read a

butter class of books than the girl. The receipts for the quarter were \$23 30, but were decreased \$4 10 by a robbery which occurred by ween 8:30 o'clock, Nov 7th, and 1 o'clock of the afternoon of the next day. The money drawer was proken into and the above sum taken. No clue has been obtained. The matter was reported at once to President Wiggins, and new locks were placed on the doors of the library.

The expenses for the quarter were

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officers are as follows: N. G.-Mrs. George Lemon. G-Mrs. E B Onck. Sec Mrs. Marv E. Miller. Fig. Sec.- Mre. Esther M. Clemson. Treas -- Mrs. C. J. Thayer. Cha dain-Mrs. Harvey Goodjoin. G .- Mrs. Willis Tice. Wardan-Mis. F. O. Grover. Conductor-Mrs John Olark.

R. S. N. G. -Mrs. John M. les. L. S. N. G. -Mrs. W. R. Pnelps. R S. V G.-Mrs. E Townsend. L S. V. G.-Mrs. T. F. Walsh. Altar Supporters-Mrs. Wright Rhode, Mrs. W. R. Bunting.

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